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Attached are a Request and a proposed Certificate of Correction in connection with the above-identified patent.

A payment in the amount of \$100.00 is enclosed to cover the fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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Please find attached a proposed Certificate of Correction.

Please correct the following error appearing in the printed patent. The error is apparently the fault of the Applicants and of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, as per the attached Certificate of Correction. The \$100.00 fee for submitting the Request for Certificate of Correction is being submitted herewith.

On cover page of the printed patent, at Item (54), Title, "EXPANDABLE RESIN PARTICLES OF STYRENE-MODIFIED STRAIGHT-CHAIN AND LOW-DENSITY POLYETHYLENE, PROCESS THE PRODUCTION THEREOF, PRE-EXPANDED PARTICLES, AND FOAMS" should read --- EXPANDABLE PARTICLES OF STYRENE-MODIFIED LINEAR LOW-DENSITY POLYETHYLENE-BASED RESIN, PRODUCTION

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METHOD THEREFOR, PRE-EXPANDED PARTICLES, AND EXPANDED MOLDED ARTICLE.—. The correct title should be as shown on page 1 of Applicants' specification and Declaration filed with the application on June 27, 2005, and amended by Examiner's Amendment mailed to Applicants on April 16, 2010.

On cover page of the printed patent, at Item (57), ABSTRACT, line 2 of the printed patent, "beads" should read ---particles---. This appeared incorrectly in the abstract as originally filed on June 27, 2005.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction issue in the aboveidentified patent as follows:

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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

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